

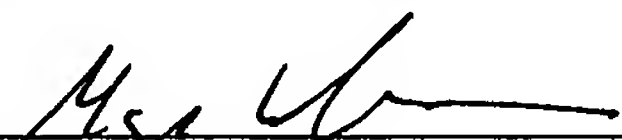
**REMARKS**

In view of the above amendment, applicant believes the pending application is in condition for allowance. Claims 1-13, 17-31, and 35-37 are pending. No new matter was added in the amendments. Entry of this Preliminary Amendment is respectfully requested.

Applicant believes no fee is due with this response in addition to the fees provided for on the Fee Transmittal sheet. However, if a fee is due, please charge our Deposit Account No. 18-1945, under Order No. LYMF-P02-001 from which the undersigned is authorized to draw.

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